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Plague-infected rats continue to be found in the various districts. There were examined during the week 536 rats found dead, of which number 7 were found to be infected with the plague bacillus. Four infected rats were collected from the eastern, 2 from the northern, and 1 from the central districts. Rat traps under observation numbered 2,166, in which 787 were caught. Trapped rats were not examined for plague. There were temporarily rat-proofed 507 dwellings. No persons were immunized during the week.

COSTA RICA.

Report from Limon, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Goodman reports:

Week ended April 24. Estimated population, 8,000. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.
Apr. 17	Preston.....	New Orleans.....	32	0	0
18	San Jose.....	Boston.....	44	1	0
19	Siberia.....	New York.....	52	55	1
21	Ellis.....	New Orleans.....	39	4	42
22	Belvernon.....	Mobile.....	20	0	0
23	Reventazon.....	New York.....	54	10	0
23	Bluefields.....	New Orleans.....	24	0	0

CUBA.

Report from Cienfuegos—Inspection of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Suarez reports, April 26:

Week ended April 24.

Vessels inspected.....	7
Bills of health issued.....	7
Members of crews inspected.....	251
Passengers landed (not inspected).....	5

No quarantinable diseases were reported during the week.

Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Sanitary conditions.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Amessee reports, May 4:

Week ended May 1.

Bills of health issued.....	27
Vessels inspected.....	26
Members of crews of out-going vessels inspected.....	1, 162
Passengers of out-going vessels inspected.....	1, 435
Vaccination certificates issued.....	33
Vessels fumigated.....	2

Sanitary conditions in Habana continue satisfactory.